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THE COMMON COUNCIL

Business Transacted at Monday Night's Meeting.

ASSISTANT STREET SUPERINTENDENT

Traction Company's Receiver Authorized to Lay Tracks on Canal Street—Thrall Hospital Managers Want $1,500—Other Business.

The office of assistant superintendent of streets was voted to John Walsh at the regular meeting of the Common Council, Monday night, and Alderman Ducolon nearly had a political fainting spell. He remarked that "they beat me, but I'll know more after I've been in the Council longer."

All of the members of the Council were present and the business of the session went along rapidly. When the alderman from the First Ward, Mr. Waldorf, moved that John Walsh be assistant superintendent of streets and it was seconded by Mr. Gavin, President Lawrence said:

"That doesn't seem to me to be the proper way to get at that. All previous appointments have been made by ballot."

It was decided to ballot and while Alderman Ducolon was beginning to see things, Mr. Barnes threw him off the track by asking how long the assistant superintendent should be appointed for and at what salary.

Alderman-at-Large Bastian interjected: "Let it be at the discretion of the street superintendent. He won't keep him if he doesn't need him, your know."

Mayor Elwood came in just as the informal ballot was taken. Aldermen Gavin and Wood were tellers and they announced the vote as follows:

John Walsh, 4; J. M. Wilcox, 1; Theo. Hey, 1; blank, 2.

Then Alderman Ducolon's pompadour looked even more soldierly. He held a whispered conversation with Street Superintendent Reed, over the rail, and then he addressed the Council

"Is it necessary to ballot, gentlemen? I should think that the superintendent should appoint his own assistant."

"The Council has the power to appoint him," replied Alderman Barnes. He and Mr. Waldorf had been reading up the charter. The formal ballot was then taken and resulted:

Walsh, 5; Theo. Hey, 3; and blank, 1

Mr. Walsh was declared elected, and Alderman Ducolon and Mr. Reed looked dissatisfied, while the Democratic members could not restrain their mirth at their discomfiture.

William B. Royce, temporary receiver for the Traction Company, succeeded in gaining two privileges from the Council. The first was permission to change the octagon poles to round chestnut poles, seven inches in diameter at the top, twenty-eight feet long, pointed and painted as directed by the Council, all poles to be inspected by the city engineer before erection.

The company was also given permission to lay tracks through Canal street, across the sidewalk into the condensery yard. The Trilby rail will be used and the street is to be put in as good condition as it is found.

Mr. O'Neal opposed the granting of this permission, saying that it is a matter which required consideration, and he proposed to lay the matter on the table until the next meeting. This motion was seconded by Mr. Wood.

Mr. Royce said at this juncture:

"Our franchise gives us the right to Canal street, and we only ask of you permission to tear up the street. We have the permission of property owners on both sides of the street. I have the authority of the court to go ahead, and I have already been under the expense of going to Philadelphia in the matter. I have issued certificates for the cost, and if it lays over two weeks there may be a new receiver and more expense will be incurred. I have had your engineer, Mr. Harris, look over the ground, and he says our plans as presented to you on paper, to-night, are entirely feasible. The condensery, one of our strongest and best institutions, has made its contracts with thirty or forty new dairies to be carried here by our cars."

Mr. O'Neal—"No doubt the plans are all right and feasible, but the court has no jurisdiction over this Council. I should require more time to consider this matter."

Mr. O'Neal's amendment was then put and lost, only Mr. Waldorf voting with him. Mr. Bastian here caused the clause providing that the street should be put in as good condition as it was to be inserted, and then it with the original motion was carried, Messrs. O'Neal, Waldorf and Wood voting "no."

A communication from the managers of Thrall Hospital asking that $1,500 be inserted in the budget for its maintenance, and one from Capt. Wm. A. Jackson Post, asking for $50 for Memorial Day, to be similarly placed, were referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Communications from H. W. Purdy stating that backing up sewers had damaged 44 Academy avenue to the extent of $46, and from T. A. Mapes in regard to 109 Fulton street, where damages amounting to $150 are alleged to have been incurred, were referred to the auditing committee.

Fire and Roof Water Inspector Hirst called attention to the fact that the fire ordinance was being violated at McCarty's photograph gallery, and at the tool house in the rear of Adam Benkes' property, both on East Main street. The clerk was instructed to notify them to comply with the ordinance.

Chairman Wood, of the Building Committee, reported favorably on the building of a document closet in the clerk's office to cost about $35. On motion of Mr. Bastian the committee was authorized to have the work done.

Chairman Gardner, of the Street Committee, presented an inventory of the street commissioner's tools, etc.

Chairman Gardner also announced that the stone crusher would commence operations Wednesday or Thursday.

Certificates of indebtedness amounting to $12,000 issued on account of the high school, which have been cancelled, were presented by the clerk and he was authorized to dispose of them as he saw fit. They will probably be burned.

The police claims which were disallowed by the Board of Supervisors, were referred to the city attorney.

Dr. Charles I. Redfield's bill of $34.40 for reporting 172 cases of infectious diseases to the State Board of Health, was referred to the Law Committee.

Dr. E. M. Schultz's bill of $8 was referred back to the Board of Health.

On motion of Alderman Ducolon, City Attorney John L. Wiggins was authorized to advertise on April 10 the sale of all properties on which taxes remain unpaid. The clerk was authorized to receive any such taxes up to April 1.

The request for a crosswalk on Jay street at Highland avenue was referred to the Street Committee.

The cancelling of the bond of John A. Wallace as City Treasurer was referred to the Committee on Clerk's and Treasurer's Accounts.

BILLS AUDITED.

Police pay roll	$185 00
" " "	135 25
Street " "	148 34
" " "	58 85
H. Lasser, street work	3 30
J. M. Wilcox, salary	20 00

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary Gale Vail.

Word was received, Friday morning, by friends in this city, of the death of Mrs. Mary Gale, wife of Abram Vail, a former resident of this place. Death occurred at 9 o'clock, Thursday night, at her home No. 110 Bergen avenue, Jersey City Heights.

The deceased was born in the town of Goshen eighty-six years ago. She was the daughter of John and Dolly (Vail) L'Hommedieu. Over sixty-five years ago she married William Colman, a farmer, of Little Britain, this county, and when the scourge of dysentery prevailed in this county she was bereft of her husband and four children within three weeks.

A little over fifty years ago she married Abram Vail, who survives her with five children, three sons and two daughters: John, of Spafford Lake, N. H.; James, with the Havemeyer Sugar Company, and Benjamin H., an architect, and Mary and Ida, teachers in the High School of Jersey City; also by one sister, Mrs. Eggleston, of Buffalo, and two brothers, John, of Ashtabula, Ohio, and William, of Missouri, besides several grandchildren.

The deceased was unusually strong and active for one of her years, always bright and cheerful and will be greatly missed in the home of which she formed a large part. The funeral was held Monday, at her late residence.

PUBLIC VOICE.

The State Hospital Treasurer.

EDITOR ARGUS:—It has been reported around town, originating from a mendacious source, that Cornelius Macardell has ceased to be treasurer of the State Hospital. I desire to state that the position of treasurer in no way depends upon that of trustee, but that official is appointed for a definite term and can only be removed during the term for cause. Mr. Macardell will continue as treasurer until his term expires, if he sees fit, and will no doubt be then reappointed, if he so desires. The salary is but a small recompense for the responsibility and care of several hundreds of thousands of dollars annually, for the custody of which the treasurer is required to give heavy bonds.

THE JUDGE.

OBITUARY NOTES.

—Bennett Speidel, a well known Erie conductor, died at his home in Port Jervis, Monday morning, of hemorrhages, resulting from injuries sustained in the yard at Susquehanna in June last. He was fifty-four years old.

The Canal Amendment Bill.

Deerpark's town board and the trustees of Port Jervis have formally voted to ask Senator Goodsell and Assemblyman Bedell to oppose the D. and H. canal abandonment bill unless amended so as to secure public and private rights in accordance with the amendments proposed at the recent hearing on the bill in Albany.

Taken to Port Jervis for Burial.

Undertaker Collier, of Port Jervis, took the body of Terrence Kearns, who died in the State Hospital, to that place, this morning. The deceased was formerly a well known Port Jervis railroad man.

CHRIST CHURCH NOTES.

—The Young People's Society will hold its regular meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Goff, 16 Benton Avenue, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. A literary and social programme will be presented. All young people, and all others interested in their work are invited.

—The annual meeting of the church for transaction of business will be held at the parsonage next Friday evening, March 31, at 8 o'clock. Annual reports of the pastor, the board of trustees, the treasurer and the Sunday School superintendent will be read, and new members of the church elected.

—The annual election of trustees occurs on Monday, April 3, at the parsonage between the hours of 4 and 5 p. m.

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Marital Woes of a Very Youthful Couple.

BRIDEGROOM IN LAW'S CLUTCHES.

How Sixteen-Year-Old Levi Osborn Wedded Fifteen-Year-Old Jennie Conkling—What Followed the Announcement of Their Marriage.

Denton had a very lively time, Sunday afternoon, when Mrs. Philo Conkling stormed in on the pleasant romance of Levi Osborn and her daughter, Jennie. She disfigured Levi's appearance considerably and then had him arrested for assaulting her, and he was given a hearing, to-day, at Slate Hill.

It all came out of his marriage to Jennie without her parents' knowledge and against their wishes. Jennie is a particularly comely miss of fifteen, who is well liked in Denton. Levi Osborn, who is only sixteen, has been employed by Mr. Conkling, and has been paying Jennie attention, but the parents had failed to notice it. Levi asked for a day off Saturday. He had money and he hired a team, and out of the kindness of his heart offered to take Jennie with him on a drive to this city, just to show her the sights and give her a little outing. Her parents consented, and Jennie and Levi drove away in fine style.

They didn't come to this city, however, but turned off toward Ridgebury and drove on to Westtown, where they were married. They returned home as happy as could be and owned up. The parental blessing was not forthcoming, and instead Levi was turned away. His mother, Mrs. Morse, lives near Denton, and Levi went there to recover from the shock.

Sunday afternoon, while Mr. and Mrs. Conkling were away, Levi went to their home and after he and Jennie had exchanged warm greetings Jennie concluded that her place was by her husband's side, and she went with her young husband to his mother's.

When Mrs. Conkling returned and found that Jennie was gone she hurried to the Morse's and demanded her daughter's return. She gave Levi a severe tongue-lashing for stealing her daughter, and when the excitement was at the highest pitch Jennie put in an appearance.

She took Levi's part and said that she would never return unless Levi could come too. That assertion didn't help matters any and Mrs. Conkling again turned her attention to Levi. She is said to have given him about as good a trouncing as a growing boy ever had, and his appearance proves it.

She returned heart broken without her daughter, and Monday afternoon, decided to have Levi arrested for assault. He was arrested by the constable, this morning, and taken to Slate Hill, as told above.

CLERKS' ASSOCIATION.

Committees Appointed and Directors Elected at Monday Night's Meeting.

The Clerks' Association held a largely attended meeting at the Board of Trade rooms, at 9 o'clock.

The principal business was the appointment of the following committees:

Membership—W. A. Coggswell, Albert Wood, Elmer Halstead, Louis Cortright, Charles Quackenbush.

Grievances—W. J. Adams, Charles Van Leuvan, DeWitt Bannister, DeWitt Morris, and George Smith.

Business Hours—W. S. Jones, Frank Van Leuvan, Walter Startup, Webster Sharp and W. W. Startup.

The following Board of Directors was elected: Walter Startup, Charles Van Leuvan, W. S. Jones, DeWitt Bannister, Charles Quackenbush, Nettie Mapes, Anna Sease, George Smith, W. J. Adams, W. W. Startup.

Chairman Coggswell, of the membership committee, reported the receipt of forty-two applications for membership.

Business Change at Otisville.

Z. K. Greene, a member of the well known firm of Hall & Greene, wholesale grain and feed dealers, with mills and elevator at Hancock, N. Y., has purchased the feed store and business of A. J. Craig, at Otisville, N. Y., and will conduct the same under the firm name of Z. K. Greene & Co., with Mr. Craig as manager. Mr. Greene will continue to reside in this city and give his attention to both concerns.

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	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	161¼	164½
Tobacco	219	227
Chicago Gas	121	125
Nat. Lead	35¼	36¼
General Electric	119	—
U. S. L., pref.	74	73½
Peas. Coal and Iron	53⅞	54⅛
A. T. & S. F.	22⅝	22⅝
C. B. & Q.	144	145⅛
C. M. & St. P.	128	129⅛
C. I.	120¼	120⅝
D. L. & W.	—	—
C. of N. J.	—	118½
Erie	—	—
D. and H.	—	117
O. & W.	28⅛	28⅛
Federal Steel	61½	62
F. & R.	24⅞	24⅛
Do., 1st pref.	67¼	67¼
N. W.	161¼	159
Kansas and Texas	—	46
Do., 1st pref.	—	—
N. Y. C.	138½	139⅝
M. P.	46	47¼
Term.	34⅛	33⅛
U. P.	47⅝	48⅛
W. Union	94	94
L. & N.	88	88
Manhattan	111⅝	116¾
P. M.	49⅝	49⅛
Wabash, pref.	23⅛	23⅝
No. Pacific, pref.	72¼	72⅝
Metropolitan Traction	201	200
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	122⅛	125⅝
Southern, pref.	32⅝	33⅛

CHICAGO MARKET.

May Wheat	72⅛	70⅝
May Corn	35⅛	35⅛
May Oats	26⅝	26⅛
May Pork	$9 37	$9 35
May Lard	5 42	5 32

SWIFT BEFORE ARMY BOARD.

Vice President of Swift & Co. Testifies Before Beef Inquiry Board.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The army board of inquiry met in this city yesterday to hear further testimony regarding army beef.

Edwin C. Swift, vice president of Swift & Co. of Chicago, was the first witness. Replying to Colonel Davis, the recorder, he said he represented Swift & Co. in the making of the contracts for the refrigerated beef to be provided the troops in Cuba and Porto Rico. He came to Washington at the time the contract was to be made because he was informed that General Eagan wanted to see some officer of the company.

"All our discussion," he remarked, "was that we were to furnish beef to the seaport cities and towns. Our conversation was based on our having refrigerators built at these points on shore. It was agreed that the refrigerators should be sufficient for a 72 hours' supply. That was, however, to be the maximum time for which we were to be responsible for the good condition of the beef in the refrigerator and 24 hours outside of the refrigerator, with proper cars. I told him that we could not undertake to deliver beef away from the coast. This was because of the character of the country. The general said he would expect the beef rations to be delivered to the agents of the government daily."

"Does the clause in the contract express your understanding of it?" asked Colonel Davis.

"My understanding was that it was to be good 72 hours after delivery from the ship."

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

The Venezuelan revolt has met with signal defeat.

Bandits have renewed their activity in Pinar del Rio province, Cuba.

Dr. James O. Murray, dean of Princeton university, died at Princeton.

Brigadier General Flagler was reported to be in a dying condition at Fort Monroe.

It was intimated in Washington that General Eagan might be court martialed again.

The oil fever has reached Vigo county, Ind., and farm property is being sought after.

Joseph H. Choate, Jr., applied for admittance to the Middle Temple, in London, for a study of law.

Acker, Merrall & Condit's grocery store, in New York city, was damaged to the extent of $100,000 by fire.

Five masked burglars sandbagged three employees of the traction company at Mayfield, Pa., and stole $1,000 in money. Later one of them was killed at Ararat Summit and two wounded by a hotel keeper.

The Guilford Trial.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 28.—The fifth day of the trial of Dr. Nancy Guilford closed with the state having concluded with the witnesses summoned to establish the identity of the remains of the young woman whose death Mrs. Guilford is alleged to have caused, and the prosecution has now entered upon the stage to show that a crime has been committed. As presaged before the trial opened, it promises to be a cause célèbre, in which every particle of testimony will be carefully considered. The tediousness of the proceedings thus far has checked public curiosity, and yesterday the courtroom attracted few spectators.

Advertisers Organize.

CHICAGO, March 28.—An association of leading advertisers has been formed under the title of the American Society of National Advertisers, with membership limited to one individual in each competitive line of business. The officers are as follows: Frederick W. Gardner, chairman; Henry L. Kramer, vice chairman; Edward B. Mower, chairman executive committee; Truman W. Crosby, secretary; Joseph R. Kathrens, treasurer. The leading industries of the country are represented in the membership.

Journal Reporter Has a Hearing.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 28.—A hearing in the case of Langdon Smith, the representative of the New York Evening Journal who, it is alleged, wrote matter in connection with the trial of Dr. Nancy A. Guilford considered objectionable by Judge Wheeler, took place when the jury was excused yesterday afternoon, but after a few preliminaries was continued until 5 p. m. today.

To Reduce Indo-European Tariff.

CALCUTTA, March 28.—During the discussion of the Indian budget in the legislative council yesterday the viceroy, Lord Curzon of Kedleston, indorsed the suggestion of the Indian chambers of commerce that the telegraphic tariff between Europe and India be reduced 50 per cent. The viceroy said he had placed this matter among the dozen important questions which he intended to take up.

Cuban Brigands Arrested.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, March 28.—The gendarmery has captured three more of the band of brigands that had been operating in the San Luis district, and the entire band is now in custody. Among those arrested on the charge of complicity in acts of brigandage are several former insurgent officers, all of whom, however, assert their innocence.

Otis Buys Spanish Gunboats.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The following cablegram from General Otis was received by the war department on March 19 and has just been made public: "Have purchased all gunboats in Philippines of Spain, 13 in number, now at Zamboanga. Half are in serviceable condition. Payment in cash from public fund upon delivery at Manila. They will be sent for this week."

A Grand Trunk Accident.

KERWOOD, Ont., March 28.—A passenger train on the Grand Trunk railroad ran into the caboose of a freight train standing on a siding here yesterday afternoon, killing Section Foreman Chivers and fatally injuring Sectionman Vickey. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train were hurt, but not seriously.

Bancroft Sheds Her War Paint.

BOSTON, March 28.—The gunboat Bancroft was docked yesterday and will be given a general overhauling. When she leaves the dock, all traces of the gray paint of war will have disappeared, and she will wear a coat of white. The Topeka will follow her into the dock.

Six Thousand Dollars For Missions.

HARTFORD, March 28.—By the will of the late Henry L. Goodwin of East Hartford, just probated, the following public bequests of $3,000 each are made: To the American Missionary association of New York and to the American Home Missionary society of New York.

Dead at Ninety-nine.

SEYMOUR, Conn., March 28.—Sharon Y. Beach, father of Superintendent G. W. Beach of the Naugatuck division of the Consolidated road, died at his home here yesterday, aged 99 years. He was a paper manufacturer up to the time he retired from business.

NO FIGHTING TO-DAY.

No Opposition to Gen. MacArthur's Advance.

IS ABOUT TO ATTACK BULACAN.

Gen. Otis's Report on Yesterday's Battle—Brilliant Charge of South Dakota Regiment—Officers and Men Who Fell.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

MANILA, March 28, 11 a. m.—Gen. MacArthur's division advanced nearly two miles without encountering opposition, this morning. On approaching Bulacan, a town of 25,000, he halted preparatory to attacking it.

The heat is intense, 90° on the coast and fully 100° in the interior, which made the Americans suffer a great deal, but in spite of the heat every man is eager to proceed.

The rebels have unloaded about 800 men from the train, half a mile in front of Gen. MacArthur's forces, with the object of reinforcing the Filipino garrisons at Bulacan and Guiguinto.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The following from Gen. Otis has been received:

MANILA, March 28.—Gen. MacArthur had severe fighting yesterday afternoon, beyond Marilao. A brilliant charge by the South Dakota Regiment, led by Col. Frost, against the famed troops of Aguinaldo brought from Iloilo, repulsed the enemy with slaughter. Adjutant Lyon and Lieutenants Adams and Morrison and four enlisted men of that regiment were killed, and Lieut. McClelland and twenty-two enlisted men wounded. The losses, yesterday, were mostly confined to this regiment.

The partial destruction of the railroad, which is being repaired, impedes MacArthur's progress. The supply of railway trains have now reached Marilao and Gen. MacArthur is pushing on.

HOME FROM THE WAR.

Return of Co. D, of the 203d N. Y. V.—Welcomed to Newburgh—Middletowners in the Command.

Co. D, 203d Regiment, N. Y. V., which was composed in the main of members of the 10th and 105th separate companies of Newburgh, reached that city at noon, Monday, and was escorted to the armory, where an address of welcome was made by Col Weygant, after which the company was dismissed. There were in the company a number of men from the vicinity of Newburgh, including four from this city, who reached home Monday. They are Jesse F. Fountain, Fred N. Green, Herbert R. McCabe, George W. Stevenson.

Co. D was mustered into service in New York city, July 21st. It was at Camp Black until Sept. 11th, when it was transferred to Camp Meade, at Middletown, Pa. On Oct. 1st, it went to Conewago, Pa., and, on Nov. 11th, to Greenville, S. C., where it remained until mustered out.

MRS. THRALL'S REAL ESTATE

Offered at Auction This Afternoon—The Homestead Bid In.

Mrs. Thrall's real estate was offered at auction this afternoon by W. VanSchaik, auctioneer.

The homestead property was bid in at $8,200 by Daniel Finn, attorney for the executors.

The lot next the house was sold to Harry Russell, of New York, for $2,000, and the lot adjoining this was sold to Thomas Kane for $1,730.

The revisionary interest of the estate in the Thrall Hospital property was bid in for the hospital by ex-Mayor Stansbury for $2.

The Golf Club Meeting.

At the meeting of those interested in the organization of the Orange County Golf Club, held at Mrs. Byron Morgan's, Monday evening, W. B. Royce, Van Allen Harris and H. K. Wilcox were appointed a committee to act with a similar committee from Goshen in the selection of a site for links and arranging the details of organization.

High School Suit Adjourned.

The second hearing in the suit brought by the A. A. Griffing Iron Company, of New York, against the city of Middletown, on on a claim growing out of the construction of the High School building, was to have been held, this morning, but an adjournment was taken until April 25.

Discussing Improvements to an Engine House.

Committees from Monhagen Hose Company and McQuoid Engine Company met with Chief Higham at Mayor Elwood's office, Monday night, to discuss the proposed repairs and improvements desired at the East Main street engine house.

Will Close at 6 O'clock.

All the furniture dealers of this city and Matthews & Co. have agreed to close their respective places of business at 6 o'clock every evening, Mondays and Saturdays excepted, from now until December 1st, 1899.

Found Dead in Bed.

Coroner Decker was called to Stony Ford, to-day, Mrs. James Carroll, wife of the foreman of Gen. B. F. Tracy's stock farm at that place, having been found dead in bed, to-day.

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Won't suit the baby's eyes. You can't change eyeglasses or spectacles like you can buy candles—the sight must be tested and suited with properly adjusted lenses, or the child will be injured more than it would be benefited. I will test your eyes free of charge, and fit them perfectly with becoming and efficient glasses.

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We shall be glad to welcome and ready to wait upon all old customers and new friends at our new stand, about the 1st of April.

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TUESDAY MARCH 28, 1899

The best information obtainable is that Secretary Alger did not take mixed roast beef on a travel ation when he started on his trip to Cuba

The Binghamton *Leader* is inspired to inquire if after the Filipino war is over the United States will feel that it is necessary to pay off Aguinaldo's soldiers

Gov Roosevelt has signed the side path bill, which authorizes the appointment in the counties of the State of side path commissioners with power to construct side paths collect license fees and enforce ordinances governing the use of the paths Orange county wheelmen ought to be prompt in taking advantage of the provisions of the law It is easy to go in a few years all the principal places in the county can be connected by side paths and the construction of such a system of paths will be not only a delight to all wheelmen but will make Orange county one of the objective points of cyclists who think when taking vacation trips

Gov Roosevelt's special message to the legislature calling attention to the necessity of amending the tax laws so as to distribute more equably the burden of taxation is a timely and important document It shows the inequalities and injustice of the present system and the unequal basis of assessment of the counties of different sections which will be on the increase until a change is made

not to mention having wealth in the State The governor makes it plain that the Governor looks to the repealing of existing evils in our tax system but he chose but the Governor and his party apparently not equal to the task of working out the reforms

[illegible] legislative committee to investigate and report next year a thorough [illegible] taxation and to embody its findings in a bill

The Commercial Travelers Mutual Accident Association of America has instructed its local secretary to notify all members to come in with their dues and have their names placed on the roll of membership for the year 1899 Failure to do this will debar members from participating in the benefits of the association for the year 1899 Members who wish to become members of the association can do so by calling on the secretary and complying with the requirements Application blanks can be had of the secretary

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'BULLVILLE

Moved to Middletown—Wedding Invitations Her Eighty-third Birthday—Other Notes.

—Mr Superintendent of the Poor Eghuis Pauf moved with his household goods last week from House of Knapp avenue in Middletown on Monday Mr Pauf's Illustrious last call, to Kerrand Bailey will take possession April 1st

—Sidney son of D Robinson and his son S M Robinson were in Brooklyn last Friday attending the funeral of Mrs Albert W Lindsley nee Miss Edith M Robinson a known well known at this place

—Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Lottie Dudley of Jersey City Heights to Geo Clancey of near this place on April 3d in that city

—Rev W H Thompson will preach an Easter sermon next Sunday at the M E Church Mr Thompson expects to be returned to the Bullville charge from conference

Annual Spring Excursion to New York City.

On Monday April 10, the Ontario and Western will run their annual spring excursion to New York city. Tickets will be sold at rate of one fare and one half for round trip good for return passage up to and including April 15 Considering that the Ontario and Western have reduced their passenger rates to two cents per mile one fare and one half for the round trip on this excursion will be exceedingly cheap for the public The rate from Middletown is $1 86 dtd

Easter Sunday Excursion to New York

For Easter Sunday April 2d, the Erie will sell excursion tickets Middletown to New York and return at rate of $1 for the round trip Tickets good going and returning on special train Notice regarding leaving time of special will appear later dtd

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CLOSE TO MALOLOS.

Filipinos Under Aguinaldo Steadily Driven Back.

ORDERS TO BURN ABANDONED TOWNS

Main Body of Insurgents Thought to Be at Malolos—United States Commission Will Issue Proclamation When That Town Falls.

MANILA, March 28.—The American artillery put a dramatic end to yesterday's battle

The American forces advanced from Meicauyan, the brigade commanded by General Harrison Gray Otis being on the left of the railroad and General Hale's on the right They eventually discerned white roofs and steeples among the green trees beyond the river, looking not unlike a Massachusetts village

The rebels had an unfordable river in front of them, and they poured in a fire so effective that it showed they were veterans, probably members of the native militia which the Spaniards organized

Approaching under cover of the bushes to about 60 yards from the trenches the artillerymen emerged upon an open space commanding the town

When the Americans appeared, they gave a great yell, and the Filipinos were panic stricken, about 100 seeking safety in flight, while a white flag was raised by those who were in the trenches, who also shouted 'Amigos' ('Friends')

Colonel Funston, with 20 men of the Kansas regiment, swam across the river to the left of the railroad bridge and captured 80 prisoners with all their arms

The Pennsylvania regiment captured 40 prisoners

By this time the right of the Filipinos was demoralized

The Americans refrained from burning the town and rested there last night

General Otis' brigade crossed the framework bridge, General Hale's brigade remaining on the south bank of the river

The United States Philippine commission proposes to issue a proclamation immediately after the rebel government at Malolos is dispersed believing that the most effective moment to secure the allegiance of the natives will be after they have received an object lesson of the Americans' power

General MacArthur's division spent Sunday night and Monday morning at Meicauyan, the next station beyond Polo

After reconnoitering his front he pushed along the railroad yesterday afternoon toward Malolos

If the statement of 35 prisoners captured yesterday is true the main body of the enemy has retreated to Malolos

But there are no more trenches to encounter although over 30 villages including the larger settlements of Bulacan and Guiguinto intervene

At every railroad station insurgent proclamations have been posted signed by the Filipino commander in chief Antonio Luna ordering all spies and bearers of news to the enemy to be shot without trial and instructing that all looters be treated in the same manner

Further all towns abandoned by the Filipino troops are to be burned

The shelling of Paranaque was not [illegible] The turret ship Monadnock and fleet off the town and the insurgents [illegible] bonded by the long [illegible] of the warships on guard duty [illegible] them with muskets with the result that one man was killed and [illegible] wounded The Monadnock then [illegible] half the town including the church

The Washington regiment had an exciting experience and displayed much gallantry The soldiers found a hand [illegible] concealed in a stone house and [illegible] French refugees [illegible] to get [illegible]

[illegible] and the troops after a hot chase [illegible] was burning and the Filipinos hauling [illegible] But they were [illegible] with a sudden volley from the [illegible] of a house over which the [illegible] flag was flying

[illegible] hunted out the sniper [illegible] which resulted in the [illegible] of the enemy in short order

WASHINGTON WAR NEWS

Officials Regard the Campaign as Progressing Favorably

WASHINGTON March 28—The third day of the [illegible] month of Manila [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] reports which [illegible] officials [illegible] to the belief that the final outcome of hostilities would be [illegible] In all official circles the most intense interest prevailed but there was no excitement and none of the [illegible] and [illegible] which marked the meetings of last summer when the destiny [illegible] was in the balance [illegible] brief but comprehensive dispatches summing up the situation Both [illegible] over night [illegible] on which [illegible] as far as [illegible] Manila while the insurgents [illegible] the mass of Aguinaldo's [illegible] [illegible] Shortly [illegible] the press [illegible] officials that the [illegible] of equipping the [illegible] in our [illegible] but that provisions [illegible] as designed [illegible] that the [illegible] now ship [illegible] are [illegible] by Admiral [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] treat toward Mr [illegible] was [illegible] and dogged [illegible] advantage was taken of one after another of [illegible] intrenchments the [illegible] of bridges and the interrupting of communications General Otis' dispatch although received early in the day was sent Monday evening Manila time and summed up the work of the three days That the fighting would proceed into the fourth day was shown by his closing sentence, "The column will press on in the morning" This refers to Tuesday

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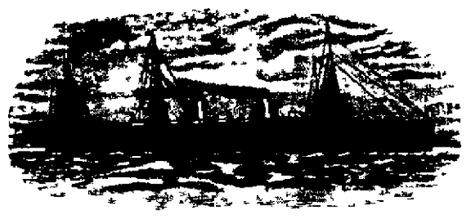

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BELL HOUSE PROPERTY!

Executor's Sale at Auction

Pursuant to the power [illegible] in the last will and testament of Henry R. Corwin deceased the following described property will be offered for sale at public auction on the premises on

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON MARCH 29, 1899,

at half past two o'clock

This large valuable tract of real estate known as the BELL HOUSE PROPERTY in the city of Middletown New York owned by the estate of Henry R. Corwin deceased situated on the corner of North and John streets has a frontage of about one hundred feet on North street which has been platted into five business building lots each of eighty feet to one hundred and fifteen feet in depth by nineteen feet ten and one half inches in front on North street the most active and prosperous business thoroughfare in this city and on John street a frontage of nearly one hundred feet platted into nine business building lots each one hundred feet deep and twenty to twenty six feet wide

The west part of this real estate including the two [illegible] is particularly adapted for some manufacturing [illegible] warehouse and storage [illegible] was intended for the late owner [illegible] the improvements [illegible] summation of this [illegible] plans

Nearly four hundred and fifty feet of this tract [illegible] to have a frontage on and abutting the Erie Railroad [illegible] on the south with an entrance thereto at the junction of Union and Franklin streets

This entire real estate will be offered for sale to the highest bidder by the undersigned the executor on terms hereinafter stated which will permit the purchaser to obtain [illegible] convenient to [illegible] the whole amount [illegible] cash ample time to [illegible] investment

The [illegible] of securing such a [illegible] to all persons [illegible] and [illegible] for the outlay than [illegible] such [illegible] long mortgages or resident rental property

This sale is for the purpose of settling the estate of the deceased according [illegible] payments will be [illegible] cash of the purchase money however [illegible] which in case of the bidding [illegible] of the feed lessee per year [illegible] will be required of all purchasers [illegible] but should the purchaser prefer [illegible] per cent of the whole amount [illegible] per cent [illegible] of sale and twenty per cent [illegible] annual payments [illegible] Robert J. Corwin in Middletown New York [illegible] or before Wednesday the twenty sixth day of April 1899 and ten per cent [illegible] at the expiration of one year from date of sale [illegible] per cent [illegible] the balance of [illegible] will remain for a term of years [illegible] annual payments or as may be agreed upon All deferred payments to bear five per cent interest Title perfect no incumbrance See Lund bill for distribution with plot of whole tract

For any further information desired apply to the executor or [illegible] John E Corwin at his Banking House in this city

ALLEN W. CORWIN Executor of the estate of Henry R Corwin deceased

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Ready Pay Store

PRICES.

Best Patent Flour, per sack, 50 cents.

Good Flour, per sack, 45 cents

California Hams (shoulders) per pound, 5 cents

Our Fine Butter, per pound, 21 cents

READY PAY STORE

No. 111 North St.

Seven Cakes Babbitt's Soap 25c

Best Laundry Starch 4 Cents Per Pound

B. F. TODD,

Todd Block, 121 North St.

FOR SALE

The fine residence of C. S. Abrams, second door from the corner of Prospect avenue and Washington street. The house contains eight rooms, furnace and all modern improvements; also fine carriage house and stable on same lot.

Owing to the removal of Mr. Abrams from our city, we offer the premises at a bargain.

GARDNER & McWILLIAMS,

No. 26 NORTH STREET, MIDDLETOWN

EASTER WEAR for Men and Boys.

FOR MEN.

We Show in Overcoats or Suits all the New Fads.

We start the spring season by cutting prices down to the bone. Men's Covert Overcoats, box cut, only $4. Men's Herring Bone Overcoats only $7.50 Men's All Wool Suits, a large variety, only $5 Blue Serges are the most popular suits for spring or summer We show them in single or double breasted, plain or silk faced. We can fit all shapes, long or slim Prices start at $7 for fast color all wool suits.

FOR BOYS.

Our Space Will Not Allow a Full Mention of the Good Things We Have Prepared for the Boys

Covert Overcoats, for boys $2 75

Vestee Suits, all wool, the usual $2 50 and $3 suit, only $1.75 and $1.98.

Good School Suits $1 25, $1 39 $1 49, vestee or double breasted styles

New Spring Caps 12c up.

Special Knee Pants 19 and 25c., in cassimere and cheviots; some double seat and knees

Men's Fixings.

Colored Shirts, New Cross Stripes, Separate Cuffs, 44c

Same with separate collars and cuffs, 55c. This line beats any shirt sale in this city

Easter Neckwear, Easter Gloves Easter Hats, Easter Canes to meet all wants.

See the new shades in Hats - The Havana, Cuba and Maple.

Prices of Hats 98c up.

For a high grade Hat, buy the "Emerson."

MORRIS B. WOLF, 10 NORTH STREET, BLUE FRONT STORE. ONE PRICE CLOTHIER, HATTER AND FURNISHER.

STERN'S

Easter Millinery Goods

now adorn our store in great variety. We certainly can show you some beauties and plenty of exclusive designs from our own work room We employ only first-class milliners and guarantee all our work.

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

in all the new shades, Separate Dress Skirts, Silk Waists and a full line of Infants', Misses' and Ladies' Jackets—over 600 in stock, all at

Stern's Handsome Store, 13-15 North St.

Our Regular Millinery Opening will be announced later

SCREAMED WITH ECZEMA

Baby's Skin Red and Raw. Doctor's Medicine was Painful and Useless. CUTICURA Cured in a Month.

My six months old daughter broke out with Eczema. A doctor pronounced it "Most Eczema, and prescribed for her. She screamed when I put the medicine on her, and I stopped using it Her skin was all red and raw, and the sore coming from it all the time, and was very painful. I got CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA (ointment), they entirely cured her within a month, and her skin is as fair as a lily.

MRS E. J. KANE,
815 Ohio Ave, Kansas City, Kan.

Warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, and gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ointment), greatest of emollient skin cures, cleanse the skin and scalp of crusts and scales, allay itching, burning, and inflammation, and thus soothe and heal the most torturing, disfiguring humors of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair, when all else fails.

Sold throughout the world POTTER D. AND C. CORP., Sole Props., Boston. "How to Cure Baby Humors," free.

HAIR HUMORS and Itching Skin Prevented by CUTICURA SOAP.

Exhaustion and break down follow Grip. Prevent it by using Dr. Miles' Nervine.

GRAND OPENING

March 28, 29, 30.

I have entirely renovated my old store. Carpenters, painters and other workmen have taken temporary possession, and have transformed my old surroundings into a store of metropolitan dimensions and appearances.

I WILL OPEN WITH A BRAND NEW STOCK THROUGHOUT.

I have gotten rid of every article in the old store. There will await your inspection on my opening days a complete stock of

Gents' Furnishings !

including every article needed to make comfortable and give a fashionable appearance to every customer. The variety of material and styles, as well as the low prices I will sell at, will surpass anything ever shown in this section before.

I Will Sell the Monarch Shoe, for Men, $3--No More or No Less

I defy any one to equal them for the money in or out of Middletown. They are strong, service able and of fashionable appearance Don't experiment elsewhere, but come to me at once to be shod I will guarantee immediate and lasting satisfaction. Every pair of shoes I sell I agree to keep perfectly shined as long as you wear them My Merchant Tailoring Department will be the best, and I intend to make it the most popular in this section of the State I carry only the very best material in a variety of patterns

I MAKE A SUIT TO ORDER FOR $12.50,

fitting and finishing perfectly. Every suit I sell I agree to keep in perfect repair (without extra charge) for a year cleaning and pressing as often as needed. My experience, covering 17 years in this city, has taught me the every want of Middletown population My past success has been the result of pleased customers. I hope for further conquests along the same line I will offer you low prices and big values I want to see all my old customers, as well as every person in this section not already one Come in, look around and see for yourself the big improvements I have made the season's latest styles harmonize with low prices You can now buy the very things you want right here in Middletown at New York prices

ISAAC LIPFELD, 25 North St., Middletown.

"HE Laughs Best Who Laughs Last."

"WE Just Smile"

COAL, FEED, HAY,

H O Co's Horse and Dairy Feed

WOOD & HORTON, 110-112 Genung St, 69 West Main St. Telephone 313

WE CAN'T AFFORD TO GIVE TRADING STAMPS.

But We Can Afford and Do Give Our Customers

2,000 Pounds for a Ton of the Best COAL Mined

THOROUGHLY SCREENED. AT REGULAR PRICES.

GORDON & HORTON,

Nos. 12-20 Henry Street. Telephone No. 181.

DO YOU WANT A GOOD PAIR OF MEN'S SHOES CHEAP?

$1.98 Will Buy a Pair of Shoes!

that formerly sold from $3 to $5 per pair. You can see them in my west window. We haven't all sizes, but we may have yours at the one price shoe store of

J. G. Harding, 25 West Main St., Middletown

WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF

Sweat Collars and Horse Collars

of every description, Prices as Low as the Lowest

FARM HARNESS OF OUR OWN MAKE.

Call and see our stock.

JOHN T. OGDEN & SON. 40 West Main Street.

FINE OPPORTUNITY FOR PARTY WITH LITTLE MONEY.

For the next ten days I will offer the stock of General Merchandise in a country store about eight miles from Middletown for sale This is one of the best locations in the country, and one where a good live man can build up a very profitable business

E. E. CONKLING, Agent.

The Dockash Baking Exhibition

a great success. Over a thousand pieces of Bread, Cake, Cream Puffs, Buns, Tarts, etc., baked and given away.

"The DOCKASH Beats Them All."

BRINK & CLARK.

Things wearable become tearable when boiled in th weekly wash All things a t much longer and are cleaner when washed with

FELS-NAPTHA soap

in lukewarm or cold water Winter or Summer

Grocers sell it

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A GERMAN PROTEST

Mass Meeting In Chicago Issues a Declaration.

AGAINST ANGLO-AMERICAN ALLIANCE.

Indignation Expressed Over the Attempt to Defame German-American Citizens and Excite Prejudice Against the Fatherland.

CHICAGO, March 28—The Auditorium was packed full last evening of German Americans called together to protest against an Anglo-American alliance and the alleged false assertions made against Germany in connection with the recent Spanish-American war The committee in charge received applications for several thousand more tickets of admission than there were seats in the hall A chorus of 700 male voices was one of the features of the programme Ex Congressman William Vocke presided and delivered the opening address Other speeches were made by William Rapp on The Immigrated Germans, Fritz Glogauer on The American People Not Anglo Saxon ' the Rev Rudolph A John on The American Born Germans and the Rev George D Heldmann on What We Demand ' The meeting was a very enthusiastic one and the following declaration was unanimously adopted

With profound indignation we have noticed the persistent efforts of English American newspapers not only to incite among our people vicious prejudices against Germany and to defame the character of the German-Americans but also to drag the United States into an alliance with England

As loyal citizens of this republic it is our right as well as our duty to resist these wicked practices with all due firmness The immigrants from Germany have brought with them to this land the achievements of a civilization as high as it is old Upon every field of the intellectual life of our nation as well as in commerce, industry and agriculture their efforts have redounded to the weal of our people and in peace as well as in war they have at all times faithfully fulfilled their duty No part of the American people has done more for the cultivation of music sociability the arts the sciences the churches and the schools than the Germans As good citizens of this country we cheerfully hand over the achievements of German culture to our youthful American people still in a state of development

We emphatically object therefore to the attempt to stamp our people as Anglo Saxons and to make it obsequient to English guile N England but the whole of Europe is the mother country of the white inhabitants of the United States We remind that not only friendly relations be maintained with Germany that has been a faithful friend of our people for more than 100 years but that peace and harmony be cultivated with all nations and we will therefore true to the wise counsel of George Washington at all times firmly oppose the formation of entangling alliances with England as well as with any other country whereby our country may be involved in unnecessary war

We denounce the defamers who have not only instigated public ill will against Germany but who have by their gross slanderous assaults upon the sacred honor of American citizens compelled and we solemnly protest against the proposed alliance with England

We further declare that with all lawful means at our disposal especially in political campaigns we will at all times strenuously oppose all those who favor the wicked attacks made upon friendly nations and who labor to entangle our country in an alliance with England

We call upon the committee that has had in charge the arrangements for this mass meeting to invite all the German American churches societies and orders in this city to send a delegate to a convention to be held at an early date for the purpose of forming a permanent organization that the German American citizens may be called to action whenever it shall become necessary to protect the blessing of our American institutions against wicked and wily politicians

We call upon the committee to send copies of these declarations to the president of the United States to his secretaries and to the senators and representatives in Washington

First Ship From Manila

BOSTON March 28—The Searsport ship State of Maine Captain Curtis was towed to anchorage below here at 8 o'clock last evening after a passage of 12 days from Manila The State of Maine is first to arrive here directly from Manila since the destruction of the Spanish fleet by Admiral Dewey's warships last May Several cargoes of hemp have been received from several islands in the Philippine group but this is the first direct from Manila The vessel's cargo is a valuable one consisting of 9 300 bales of hemp

A Chicago Blaze

CHICAGO March 28—Four persons were injured and property loss to the amount of $250 000 sustained in the burning yesterday of the four story brick structure of the Armour Curled Hair and Fur Company at Thirty second street and Eames avenue Several other employees were slightly burned The fire spread rapidly and many of the 150 employees had narrow escapes The loss is fully covered by insurance

The Zeltners Held

TOLEDO March 28—The coroner's examination over the remains of Attorney Westenhaver who was murdered by John and Paul Zeltner at Hoytsville on Saturday resulted in a verdict holding both the brothers responsible for the murder The autopsy revealed the presence of four bullets in the body

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SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE

The season's weather is very different from that of last year for March a year ago was characterized by very warm and pleasant weather The frost was out of the ground before the middle of the month and a Johnson man tells that Milton A Lain of the Lower Road a brother of David F Lain of this city planted potatoes before March 15th The land planted was a warm but of sod with a southern exposure but April came on wet and cold, and the early planted potatoes did not begin to grow until May which was by no means the kind of month the poets sing of Mr Lain had a fine crop of potatoes from his early planting but many of those who planted too early had to plant a second and the first seed rotting in the ground

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It is at this time of year when the merchants are happy The spring business is just now at its very best This is the week that women in town and in other towns begin to flock to Middletown's business streets Incidentally this is the time of all others for merchants to advertise Take a good space with catchy ads there's lots of them doing it now and you'll be caught getting the go by if you don't get into the run

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The stores are thronged each day and business is on the jump Prices are low and the buyer can do just as well in this city as anywhere else Don't think that you can buy dress goods millinery and men's and children's furnishings cheaper in New York than you can here for you can't Look at the prices as advertised in the and compare them with those in the New York dailies Our merchants have just as good goods and their prices are as low if not lower, than those quoted by New York merchants

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Middletown never had so many enterprising merchants as it has to day and the stores never before contained such varied and complete assortments of goods Any taste can be pleased There's no need of fearing that you won't be togged out for Easter Sunday either for it's not going to be the thing to come out with spring attire this year on that day The Sunday after Easter will be early enough for by that time the weather may be settled

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The styles of clothing are modest this year Men with checks that ought to have a war tax on them will not be seen The quiet tame colors whole suits from the same goods are going to be the thing, though of course many will be found wearing the favorite black or blue serge with light striped trousers

The giddy things of the season are the women's hats Those cost just about as much as ever, and will be fully worth the money when looks are enviously thrown at them by less favored members of the sex

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A dealer says that this is going to be a great year for baby carriages He says he can always tell when he is going to sell lots of baby carriages by the way trade is in other lines This year a large number of orders have already come in, and there have been lots of folks in to look over the stock

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The Goshen horsemen who have so successfully kept them track in popular favor during the past score of years are to be congratulated upon this season's outlook Such a crowd and men of such prominence as will be seen there this coming season is enough to repay them for their years of arduous labor Of course Mr Harriman is the magnet which has attracted many of these well known horsemen of wealth to the county seat, but it redounds to the credit of Goshen that she has used them right and that they are coming again

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TROOPS FOR MANILA.

Eight Thousand More Men Will Be Sent to Re-enforce Otis.

WASHINGTON, March 28—The war department has determined to hurry re-enforcements to the assistance of General Otis as quickly as transportation can be secured With the arrival of the Sheridan with the Twelfth infantry and four companies of the Seventeenth infantry nearly 1,800 men will be added to the 3 000 that went to the Philippines on the Sherman and the Grant The number of troops now under orders to go to Manila is more than 8 000 The Ninth infantry which left Madison Barracks last week is on the way to the Philippines Six companies left San Francisco on the 24th of this month and the other six companies will leave in a day or two The next organization to leave its present station for San Francisco to embark for Manila will be the Sixth artillery, which is expected to arrive in San Francisco about April 18 The Twenty-first infantry will follow from its station at Plattsburg Barracks, N Y on the same date, arriving in San Francisco three days after the Sixth artillery The other regiments will then leave their stations in the following order Sixth infantry Thirteenth infantry and Sixteenth infantry

It has been recognized at the war department that light artillery is much needed in the Philippines and yesterday an order was issued assigning a battery each from the First Fourth and Fifth artillery for service under General Otis command

Civil Officers For Cuba.

WASHINGTON March 28—One of the matters which will be early brought to the attention of the president after his return will be the proposition to supplant the military with civil officers in Cuba and Porto Rico so far as practicable The civil officers selected will be subject to the military authority which must be supreme for the present as it is the only method by which the government of the islands can be maintained What is desired and what has been under consideration by officers of the administration is to have civil officers selected who will come in contact with the people of the islands Military methods while best for the management of the army are not always found suitable in dealing with the people

Quick Klondike Trip

SEATTLE Wash March 28 H Miller and Fred Scott who arrived yesterday from Dawson say they have made the trip from Lawson to Skagway in five days which breaks the record by six hours They report a great deal of suffering

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Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Mothers! This wonderful remedy will save your child's life when attacked by Croup or Whooping-cough. It never fails to cure throat and lung troubles. Price 25 cts.

SUPREME COURT—County of Orange.

Edward A. Brown, as Receiver of the Orange County Brewing Company, Plaintiff,

against

The Orange County Brewing Company and others, Defendants

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment made in this action on the 18th day of February, 1899, and duly entered in the County Clerk's Office of Orange County, I, Edward A Brown, as Receiver of the Orange County Brewing Company, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Brewery Building of the Orange County Brewing Company, in the City of Middletown, Orange County New York, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899

at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day all of the following described real estate and personal property namely

All that certain lot piece or parcel of land, situated on Lake Avenue in the City of Middletown, County of Orange and State of New York and is bounded and described as follows Beginning at an iron bolt set in the ground in the westerly line of Lake Avenue two hundred and five feet and one inch northwesterly from a hydrant near the southerly corner of Lake Avenue and Summit Avenue thence along the northerly line of the lands of Thomas Cline south seventy six degrees thirty-five minutes west one hundred and thirty five feet and four inches to an iron bolt set in the ground in the easterly line of the lands of the Erie Railroad Company thence along the easterly line of said Erie Railroad Company a lands north ten and one-half degrees west two hundred feet to an iron bolt set in the ground, thence along the lands of the Middletown Ice Company north seventy six and three-quarter degrees east one hundred and eight feet and eight inches to an iron bolt set in the ground in the westerly line of Lake Avenue thence along the westerly line of Lake Avenue south eighteen degrees and twenty five minutes east two hundred feet to the place of beginning, being the same lands and premises sold to the Orange County Brewing Company by the Middletown Ice Company, in the year 1897

Also all the personal property in or about the premises of said Brewing Company namely Implements, fixtures office furniture about 1 500 barrels of beer and ale 400 pounds of hops 800 bushels of malt 20 beer barrels 800 half barrels 450 quarter barrels 10 hogsheads 18 chip casks, 21 storage vats, 1 beer filter, 1 Baltimore soaking machine, 1 wagon, 2 horses, a quantity of bottles, cases, tools and contents in repair shop, also the refrigerating plant connected with and used in said brewery And all other articles of personal property belonging to said Brewery Company which at the time of sale may be in or about the plant or buildings of said company, and which, by the judgment, I am directed to sell

The above mentioned real and personal property will be sold as a whole and in one lot and the sale will be made free and clear of all claim, lien or incumbrance in favor of the defendants in this action or any of them

Dated March 9th, 1899

EDWARD A BROWN,

Receiver of the Orange County Brewing Company

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INSURANCE

in old, strong companies against both fire and

Loss of Rent

resulting from fire

A. B. WILBUR

Pabst Malt Extract The Best Tonic

Causes sweet sleep, restores faded looks, lightens weary minds and builds up the body. It braces; it gives you vim and bounce.

O. & W. COAL!

One of the best free burning coals in the market—None better—at the following prices.

Stove Coal	$4 Per Ton at Yard
Chestnut Coal	$4 Per Ton at Yard
Egg Coal	$4 Per Ton at Yard
Pea Coal	$3 Per Ton at Yard

Lehigh Chestnut Coal always kept on hand.

D. A. KETCHUM,

Telephone Call 56. 245 North St.

Supreme Court—County of Orange. Edward Longstreet, Frank Harris, James A. Ferguson, Sarah A. Ferguson and others, defendants

Under and by virtue of a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale, rendered in the above entitled action, and bearing date the 6th day of February, 1899, and duly entered in the Orange County Clerk's office, I, the undersigned referee, in and by said judgment named, and appointed for such purpose, will expose for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Samuel Rogers, a public hall on James street, in the city of Middletown, Orange county, New York, on Friday, the 24th day of March, 1899, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the lands and premises in and by said judgment directed to be sold. Bounded and described as follows

All that certain farm, now occupied and possessed by the said Samuel Forgerson, situate in the town of Wallkill, county of Orange, and State of New York, and bounded as follows: On the north by the lands of Enos Smith; on the west, by the lands of the said Enos Smith; on the east by a vacant piece of land called the Vincent; on the south by the public highway and lands of Everett Brewster, containing about fifty-three acres of land, be the same more or less

Being the said premises conveyed by John S. Hatch and wife to the said Samuel Forgerson, by deed dated March 20th, 1870, and recorded in the Orange County Records in Deeds, Book 227, page 461, etc., March 20th, 1870.

Dated Feb. 7th, 1899.

WILLIAM J. BURKE, Referee.

M J DONOVAN, Plaintiff's Attorney, Rooms 11 and 13 Low Building, Middletown, N Y

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Floyd L. Truex late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber the administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at his office Low Building in the city of Middletown, New York, on or before the 1st day of June, 1899

Dated November 30th, 1898.

ZOPHER K GREENE Administrator

JOHN C K TAYLOR, Attorney for Administrator Rooms 5 and 6, Low Building Middletown, New York 14dTuThSm3y22

MERCHANT TAILORING.

Perfect Fits, Best Workmanship and Reasonable Prices.

Fine line of samples of all the latest styles of goods from which to make selections.

I have always planned and satisfied my customers, and was never better prepared to serve them.

Orders solicited from old and new customers

STEPHEN WOLF,

17 James St., Opposite Russell House.

Come Over on James Street and Save Money,

where you will find

CHAS. WOLFF, Sr.,

ably assisted by

LEO BARNETT,

and several other experienced salesmen, with one of the largest new spring stocks of popular up-to-date, ready-to-wear

Men's, Boys and Children's Clothing, Hats, Caps.

and Gents' Furnishing Goods, at such low prices that will astonish you. Every transaction is a bargain, therefore a money saving investment. Low prices that the oldest established and most reliable clothing house has in the past maintained will be kept up, to add to its reputation in the future.

Men's Business Suits at $3 90, $4 25 and $5. Spring Overcoats at surprisingly low prices Children's Suits at $1, $1 25, $1.75 and $2, and plenty of other goods.

Young's Hats in All the Latest Styles!

are now displayed at

CHAS. WOLFF'S, Sr.,

No. 43 James Street, Near Erie Depot.

CUSTOM TAILORING AT POPULAR PRICES.

Casino Theatre

Tuesday Ev'ng, April 4th.

The new management takes special pride in announcing that it has secured for its opening attraction that funny play,

DONNELLY & GIRARD'S

greatest farce comedy success,

NATURAL GAS!

by H. Gratton Donnelly, with original New York cast including

EDDIE GIRARD,

who has successfully played the star part over 2,000 times.

NEW SONGS, DANCES AND MUSIC PRETTY GIRLS, COSTUMES AND SCENIC EFFECTS

REGULAR PRICES.

Seats on sale at H S Dunnberry & Son's, 4 North street.

S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.

HAVE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

EASTER CARDS AND Easter Music at Five Cents.

Crepe Tissue Paper at 5 and 15 cents for a full roll.

S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.,

No. 20 North Street.

FOR SALE.

New Eight-Room Cottage,

Situate on Gardner Ave. Enquire of

CASE & TAYLOR

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENTS,

15 North St., Stern's Building.

DO YOU?

Nearly all do At least every one should endeavor to get rid of a

Cold and Grip

as soon as possible.

BROMO LAXINE 25c.

Acts like a charm. Regulates the liver, at the same time it is curing you. Sold by

J. Erskine Mills,

Druggist, 49 North St.

TOMPKINS.

Two short years have sufficed to show the shopping public of Middletown and the vicinage that it cannot afford to be indifferent to any line of goods that form a part of the TOMPKINS system.

The demonstration will continue for two important reasons

First—Many people have yet to learn their true interests in relation to the Tompkins store.

Second—The Tompkins store will be a better store with each passing season.

The rapid growth and exhibition, now appearing daily, of the splendid stock assembled for spring, 1899, creates growing confidence that this year will mark a great increase in our sales.

Experience tells us that appreciation is bestowed wherever it is due. The anticipations of this business are based upon a consciousness of increased merit in both merchandise and methods.

ANOTHER WORD OF COTTONS The favored fabrics for the Summer wear are no longer a matter of doubt or mere opinions They are settled They are as you probably know to be sheer cottons and wash silks and you will notice that the cottons are mentioned first It is to be the greatest cotton season in decades

Cotton fabrics are prettier and in larger variety this year than ever before And there is much more novelty than usual Notwithstanding this the choicest are already growing somewhat scarce We anticipated all this and advancing markets and heavy demands do not worry us at all We have more cotton dress goods, and prettier than have ever before been gathered into one store in this city All the novelties are here of course The new Organdies with the soft, unwrinkable finish The new Ginghams in new patterns and whole new family of piques Prices are just as low as they can be and consequently lower than you will find them generally

COTTON BARGAINS 10 000 yards of new Ging hams in pretty new patterns the new cord effects, etc to be sold this week for 10c a yard Remarkable because of the price, which should be 15c and because of the remarkable variety and beauty of the patterns offered There are fairly good assortments left in the 10c Ginghams selling for 7c a yard In the 15c Percales all new and fresh selling for 10c a yard In the 8c Percales selling at 6c a yard

WASH SILKS A recent heavy shipment puts us in possession of a much wanted fabric They are of a class decidedly scarce in the present market—Japanese Wash Silks, light and cool but wearing like sheet steel The new patterns are decidedly odd and effective

29c a yard for a 45c grade of new and desired silk

50c a yard for a 65c grade

SPRING JACKETS New ones every day Here's some talk of yesterday as rivals Almost all are EXCLUSIVE styles—the kinds we and our public both like

At $5 of tan covert cloth fly front, coat back, lined with taffeta

At $6 50 of tan broadcloth or black serge double breasted, lined with taffeta

WOMEN'S TAILOR MADE SUITS The notable features of our tailor made suits are the wonderful variety and the charming originality of the styles The tailoring and the furnishings are too well known to need special comment New goods constantly Some of this week's arrivals were

At $10 Walking Suits of cheviot serges well tailored and finished

At $12 50 Fly Front Suits of mixed materials Jackets taffeta lined percaline lined skirts

At $15 a variety of styles, pretty and stylish

MILLINERY SALE

Spring Millinery is here, here in all the glory of newness, freshness and beauty While our great sale of the past few weeks was in progress our buying force was busily engaged assembling the choicest millinery and the results of their efforts are ready for this week.

Our Millinery Department, which we intend shall be without its equal in point of magnitude and quality of merchandise, will make its introductory bow this week Style and beauty will be linked with a lowness of price hitherto unheard of Profits have been carelessly handled Our only thoughts are to have you know us this week as we would have you know us always—the exponents of art and style exemplified by the highest class of merchandise obtainable In order to accomplish our purpose, we will hold an inaugural sale that will place the finest millinery in your hands at prices

LOW TRIMMED MILLINERY A beautiful line of dainty, chic conceptions, embracing many exclusive ideas; choice inceptions that will delight the fastidious heart The same class of goods sold elsewhere for $5 to $15 our prices range from $2.50 to $10.

CHILDREN'S TRIMMED MILLINERY We will pay every attention to the little folks, as much style here as for their mamas a beautiful line, this week at low prices

UNTRIMMED MILLINERY Every shape, style and color that is good is on our counters, and the prices, but note just a few Black Chip Dress Shapes, a fine quality, in the new shapes actual value and worth 98c, here at half price 49c each.

SILK WAISTS The question of choice is the only difficulty that confronts the purchaser of these waists, the variety is almost an embarrassment, and the richness and beauty of the color effects is quite bewildering. The making is exquisite and the prices—well, here are two representative items

At $4 of black taffeta, full front, with rows of cording at intervals running bias, yoke back, with plaits from yoke to waist, high corded collar

At $5, solid colors full front with rows of cording and flat plaits, corded yoke back, with rows of cord from yoke to waist, high detachable collar and straight cuffs.

CARPETS. Three very special values in Tapestry Brussels Carpets

The 50c quality for 39c.
The 65c quality for 49c.
The 75c quality for 59c.

EXTRA SUPER INGRAIN CARPET, very heavy and durable, actual value 65c this week 50c per yard

500 yards of the 40c Floor Oil Cloth, now 25c per yard

25c Oil Cloth 18c per yard.

MOQUETTE RUGS, large size, $2 each.

Double Faced Smyrna Rugs, extra size and colorings, very handsome, $3 50 each, $4.00.

J. W. TOMPKINS

No. 35 North St., Middletown.

An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, SYRUP OF FIGS, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinally laxative and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system It is the one perfect strengthening laxative, cleansing the system effectually dispelling colds headaches and fevers gently yet promptly and enabling one to overcome habitual constipation permanently Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance and its acting on the kidneys liver and bowels without weakening or irritating them make it the ideal laxative

In the process of manufacturing figs are used as they are pleasant to the taste but the medicinal qualities of the remedy are obtained from senna and other aromatic plants by a method known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co only In order to get its beneficial effects and to avoid imitations please remember the full name of the Company printed on the front of every package

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
SAN FRANCISCO CAL
LOUISVILLE KY NEW YORK N Y
For sale by all Druggists —Price 50c per bottle

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents

WANTED—A single man who understands horses Steady position Apply at this office

EASTER Lilies twenty inches tall Delivered early and long cut flowers BEEDING 5 North street

GOOD Organ for sale cheap suitable for public hall Enquire at No 7 Benning street

HONEY—Pure extracted five pound pails delivered to R D No 5 or 6 mile Order by phone or postal CHESTER BEEDING Cottage street city

O-A MALT EXTRACT—A superior tonic reconstructive and appetizer 65 cents per bottle YOUNG'S PHARMACY 2 Franklin Square To Th Sat tf eb

TO LET—Six rooms second floor all conveniences also several other rooms of houses Apply PARRICK & LIBERTY 56 Main St

THREE Rooms to let Call after 6 Rock at 42 Knapp avenue

FOR RENT—Desirable store containing four rooms with modern improvements in Iseman Building 13 St

WANTED—A competent girl to do upstairs work and cook one or two in family Apply at 14 south street city Mrs SEYMOUR EWELL

ROOMS to Let in Hulse Building corner Main and James streets Apply on premises

NEW 5 and 7 cent Counter Counters Counter glass cases Hat stands Hat racks ladies collars and cuffs The prices are correct for them 19 WEST MAIN STREET

ROOMS to Let 41 Houston avenue either furnished or unfurnished

NO Not rushed but very busy and that's the way we like it Prices talk Sale closes April 1st DAYTON'S

ANY Bills against us If so kindly render them If owing us a settlement would be appreciated Change of firm call at B S DAYTON & SON

UNTIL April 1st only Orders left at our Jewelry department Enter at clock in portion DAYTON'S

TO LET—Flat No 13 East Main street over Isaman's grocery Modern improvements Apply at office of Isaman & Son East Main street over Isaman's grocery or inquire of JOHN CUMMINGS corner Fulton street and East avenue

TO LET—A handsome new store on Albert street also Jersey cow and calf for sale Apply at BELL & YOUNGBLOODS

WANTED—A Bond and Mortgage $900 6 per cent EDWIN S MERRILL Attorney Rooms Times Building

AUSTIN'S DYE HOUSE 96 Wickham avenue Ladies dresses and jackets gents suits and overcoats cleaned dyed and pressed

COAL! FORTY carloads sold in thirty days Low prices still continue at VANDEERVEER'S

TO LET—Very desirable flat and room in bath room modern conveniences Wickham avenue opposite Erie depot MRS I D OSTERHOUT

TO RENT—From April 1st large mostly warehouse floor 14 Broad St Inquire CROWFORD & Millinery 15 West Main St P A I

WANTED—Case of bad health that PISO'S CURE will not benefit Send 10 cents to Ripans Chemical Co New York for 10 samples and 1 000 testimonials 99dly Dec14 s99

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Middletown Glass Company for the purpose of electing directors and officers for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the Company Centre street at 7 o'clock on the evening of April 4 1899 C MACARDELL President dMarch 28 to 4

WANTED—Active and trusted person to work for us in his locality Local or traveling Permanent position and chance for rapid advancement Salary $21 per week and expenses Enclose self addressed stamped envelope The Standard Silver Plate Company Philadelphia Pa 7 to 14 My

FARM FOR RENT—The farm owned by the late Alexander Lee in the town of Greenville is for rent from April 1st next The farm consists of about 70 acres and is one of the best Enquire of the owner Joel Lee
March 16th 1899
MRS ALEXANDER LEE Administratrix
11 16 to 4 April

VIOLET Cream Toilet Soap is the wonder of to day Grows solid in past few days Is an emollient good for face complexion and hands vaseline and buttermilk Our own formula we recommend it Reasonable price 25c a box Makes Bold at CHAMBERS Pharmacy 57 North St near postoffice

S. M. BOYD,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC
6 EAST MAIN STREET
FIRE INSURANCE

ALL Persons who have made contracts with Horace W Greer for lot or lots on tract known as Richmond Hill or have paid money upon any such contracts and who have not received deeds will please address the undersigned in writing stating full particulars All persons having deeds not recorded will please report the same to me in order that I may know what title I have been assigned of 3dtf FRANK M STRATTON Middletown N Y

AUCTION.

Household Furniture.

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1 P M. SHARP, NO 7
LINDEN AVE, OPP. MADISON HOUSE

Parlor furniture plush chairs arm chairs 1 rocker right piano handsome dining room suit inlaid sideboard 300 yards brussels and ingrain carpets extension tables bookcase pictures mirrors, 8 bedroom suits feather beds springs mattresses gas and oil stoves refrigerator lawn mower crockery glassware etc
MRS S C CHADSEY
WM VANSCHAICK Auctioneer 12dtd

FOR SALE

To close estate, No. 57 South St., the residence of the late Mrs Preston Good, plain, old style house, very central and convenient location. Price very reasonable Enquire of

A. V. BOAK,

Real Estate Agent, 35 North St.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—March 29 Silver Social at First Baptist Church by the Junior Society
—April Excursion to New York via Erie Railroad
—April Twentieth annual ball Division No 1 A O H at Assembly Rooms
—April 7—Easter hop of B S S at casino
—April 7—Excursion to New York via O and W Railroad
—April 10—Grand musical festival at First Baptist Church
—April 11 12 13 — Ben Hur for benefit of Thrall Hospital at the Casino
—April 18 Seventh annual ball of Middletown Lodge No 46 B P O E

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Good organ for sale cheap
—Easter flowers at 5 North street
—Large stock of Easter goods at Badwick's Cash Southern Emporium
—Gents furnishing goods and clothing cheap at Chas W Hall Sr
—Steamship tickets issued by P Dougherty
—See Storms Easter millinery goods
—Mail extra to either $1 or $2 Tuesday
—Change of program at Orange Theatre
—Man wanted to take orders
—Sixty cows and heifers for sale
—Two cows for sale
—Lost
—Found
—Improvements on the Eyrie
—Extra attraction at Hall's restaurant
—Kitchen sewing machines for sale
—Mrs Brotherton's Easter opening

WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON D C March 28—Rain to night Wednesday fair variable winds

THE TEMPERATURE

Herewith we show the reports of the thermometer at Erie's freight office for
a m 24 1 p m 36 6 p m 42

TUESDAY MARCH 28 1899

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS

—It is expected that the next list of permits will be given out Thursday

—If you want a hearty laugh see Natural Gas at the Casino next Tuesday evening

—The 24th sunken cars at the armory to night It is expected that about 200 will attend

—Hot drinks hot lunch and toilet rooms Hall rooms to rent Simon and coffee 14 Lozars 34 North street

—Natural Gas will be played at the Casino next Tuesday evening by Eddie Conrad and his original New York company

—P Dougherty the old reliable shell steamship ticket agent has an announcement of interest to another column

—Your attention is called to the witness Natural Gas at the Casino next Tuesday evening

—If you would like to see a great assortment at the Ring Building School of Dancing Sport 27 North street Middletown N Y ride

—Speedy and perfect work—Miss Gallat evening dress parties at $4 per year A handsome dressy Jacket for spring

—Lost Tuesday between Vassar and Middletown a Yale Key Ring with 10 keys attached Finder will please return to this office and receive reward

—Don't forget the Old Maids Convention at Music Hall on Thursday evening There has been a large advance sale and if you don't get your ticket you can't get in

—A stay was given in the lower court on the alternate session March 16 It came for the Civil at the Spring Assizes

—Although no formal announcement has been made of the engagement a young man of this village and a business institution of Goshen are said to be interested

—Dr Andrew Freeborn has returned to his office in the Wickham House after a visit to Albany and Troy

—Dr Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems especially adapted to the needs of the children Pleasant to take soothing in its influence It is the remedy of all remedies for every form of throat and lung disease

PERSONAL

—Mrs Dr Ostrom of Otisville is visiting in town

—Charles H Wurfel who has been sick for a week was out Monday for the first

—Storm west New York to Erie

—Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F J Cheney & Co Toledo O is the only medicine taken internally on the market Price 75 cents per bottle Sold by druggists

—Mrs Dr Hoyt of Otisville is visiting at the residence of Mrs Dr Wells on Wisner avenue

—F W Dunn of this city is spending a few days in New York city

—Mr Kerr who has been the guest of A W Sweezy returned to New York today

—Stevens Hall Cream Wafers are the best Try them Sold by druggists

—Miss Mary Wood of Middletown is the guest of Mrs Wm Wood of this village

—Mr Hoolihan a member of the Empire Bowling Club of New York city was a guest of Mark A Howell, in this village Monday night

—Dr Bull's Cough Syrup will cure you

—Mr Wilber the well known florist of this village is very low with consumption

—Mrs Frank Sloat returned from Boston Monday night and will spend the Easter vacation in this city with her parents

—Private Ed H Sears of Co H Eighth U S Infantry has written his many friends that he is now doing picket guard duty at Havana

—Mrs Robert Barnes Mrs George Gelt and Miss Harriet Hulse went to Newburgh this morning to attend the funeral of Charles Hulse a relative

—The family of Leo Wepfer removed to this city to Brooklyn to day where Mr Wepfer who is employed by the Cloonan Boiler Company

—Mrs J B Osterhout of New Rochelle who has been visiting at Isaac D Osterhout's left to day for New York to meet her brother John Bell who has just returned from Germany, where he has been a student at Heidelberg and Leipsic

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand but Skin Eruptions rob life of joy Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them also Old Running and Fever Sores Cuts Boils Felons Corns Warts, Cuts, Bruises Burns Scalds Chapped Hands Chilblains Best Pile cure on earth Drives out Pains and Aches Only 25cts a box Cure guaranteed Sold by H J Chambers Druggist

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles Yet there's a cure Doan's Ointment never fails

Dr. Bull's COUCH SYRUP

Will cure Tonsilitis and Bronchitis. A specific for incipient consumption. Doses small Price 25 cts. at druggists.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

Recent Events and Happenings in Goshen.

NEW TRUSTEES TRANSACT BUSINESS

Parkway Farm Entries in Big Races—School House Plans—Taken to the Penitentiary—Coming Entertainments—"Soon They'll Marry."

From Our Regular Correspondent

—The Board of Trustees met in regular session Monday night, and organized as a new Board H J Berg was reappointed clerk Fred Strack was reappointed clock winder at the same salary John Ketcham was reappointed street commissioner at $40 per month Levi Van Tenvan was reappointed chief of police at $60 per month William Ehlers and Al Whidden were reappointed patrolmen at a salary of $50 monthly. The salary of the treasurer remains the same The president appointed standing committees as follows

Water—T D Schoonmaker
Lighting—S L Kniffin
Ordinances—P H DeGarmo
Public Property—H A Horton
Finance—T D Schoonmaker
Streets and Walks—S L Kniffin
Supplies—H A Horton
Fire Department—P H DeGarmo

The meetings of the Board will be held on the first and third Mondays of every month The clerk was authorized to purchase any necessary stationery for the use of the Board A full service certificate was granted Thomas Farrell, of Dikeman Hose Company, and the election to membership in that company of Jess Wood and John V Franklin was approved The usual quota of bills were audited The salaries of the street commissioner and the chief of police above given are an increase each of $10 monthly

—Ex Senator John McCarty of Parkway Farm this village has entered horses in the $10 000 Massachusetts purse to be trotted at Boston and in the $10 000 Charter Oak purse to be trotted at Hartford

—The architect who has been juggling with the plans for the proposed addition to the High School has succeeded in taking the $10 000 roof in the plans here to one pressed steel so as to make them come within $15 000 appropriation, the Board of Education is meeting to consider them will probably be held this afternoon, as scheduled

—Officer William Ehlers took Edward Green the negro who was arrested for burglarizing Peter Parks's hen coop in August to Albany this morning where he will serve an eight months sentence

—William Pierson an ex several months sojourner at his home in Jersey city has returned to this village Mr Bryson is to train on the Erie science gang

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Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

The greatest remedy for Incipient Consumption. Cures at once Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, Bronchitis, Grippe, Asthma and Croup. At all druggists. 25c.

PILES Dr Williams Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles It absorbs the tumors, allays the itching at once acts as a poultice gives instant relief Dr Williams Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and Itching of the private parts Every box is warranted By druggists by mail on receipt of price 50 cents and $1.00. WILLIAMS MANUFACTURING CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio
SOLD BY W. O. OLNEY, SOLE AGENT

Programme This Week at Cottage Theatre, Mechanictown.

Miss Anna Donahue, in her latest Irish melodies Miss May Gold, serio comic songs, Miss Ella V Fay, latest coon songs Mr Bobby Ray ast. comedy character artist
Dance Thursday night Amateur Night, Saturday night.

SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT!

In announcing our readiness for the spring trade we desire to impress upon the public the fact that we have made this season greater preparations in every department than ever before, viz:

LARGER ASSORTMENTS!

LOWER PRICES!

MENS' FURNISHINGS!

We show all the season's novelties. Our prices always right, are lower than ever before. Men's shirts with separate cuffs sold everywhere at 50c.

OUR PRICE 29C.

Men's shirts with separate collars and cuffs sold elsewhere at 75c.

OUR PRICE 45C.

Men's fine shirts, regular $1.00 goods,

OUR PRICE 69C.

Men's best and finest shirts, regular $1 25 shirts,

OUR PRICE 89C.

Complete line of new and fancy socks. New gloves in Mocha

$1.15 AND $1.38.

New Spring Ties!

The very latest and very newest Puffs, imperials, 4-in hands and tecks, sold everywhere at 50c.

OUR PRICE 35C. EACH.

Cheaper tecks, puffs and 4-in-hands, sold everywhere at 25c and 35c.

OUR PRICE 22C. EACH.

Men's and Boys' HATS and CAPS!

We show all the new styles all the new colors We quote lower prices for high qualities than is charged for these elsewhere We do this because we are willing to sell goods at a small profit

CUSTOM TAILORING!

This style of clothing is being greatly abused by those who not being in position to do custom tailoring palm off on the trade ready made clothing for such because they measure the customer for the garment But showing a sample of cloth and putting the tape around does not constitute a custom made garment We show all goods in the piece We do all our own cutting right at the store Every garment sold by us as a "custom garment" is tried on before it is finished Every garment is made by tailors living in this city and the best tailors only do our work We show an extensive line of suitings and trouserings in foreign and domestic goods

Custom Pants $4.00 and up!

Custom Suits $16 50 and up!

NO FIT——NO SALE!

READY-MADE CLOTHING!

Here we are in a position to offer the public superior advantages to those of any other clothier The reason is that

"We Make Every Dollar's Worth of Ready-Made Clothing We Sell."

Doing this we save the middleman's profit which every other dealer is bound to give up to the clothier from whom he buys his clothing Men's overcoats from $3 98 up Men's suits from $4 75 up We show a tailor made spring overcoat—the swellest in the city—all the new lads on it Call and let us show it to you We are ready with our entire new stock which this season is larger and better than ever before

Children's Clothing!

In double breasted suits vestee and sailor styles Vestee suits for boys 3 to 8 years from 98c to $5 00

SPECIAL VALUES IN KNEE PANTS!

We have made a special effort this season to offer bigger bargains in knee pants than we have always been known to give.

Our Line of the Famous Knee Pants, "BUDWIG'S OWN,"

which hardly a mother in this city has not seen is way ahead of anything we have ever attempted These pants in sizes 3 to 16 years, of goods as strong almost as iron, goods that can be washed like a white shirt without fading, of strong cassimere, double seat and double knees, patent waistband, sold every where at 50c.

OUR PRICE 25C. A PAIR FOR

"BUDWIG'S OWN" KNEE PANTS.

Remember when you buy your clothing from us, you buy direct from the maker, thereby saving the middle-man's profit, which is $3 on every $10. WE ARE THE ONLY CLOTHIERS IN THIS CITY WHO MAKE AND SELL THEIR OWN READY MADE CLOTHING.

We are the only clothiers where you can buy your clothing receiving a positive guarantee that the goods are all wool without having to use your own judgment When you see our guarantee label on a garment it is a positive sign that the goods are "strictly all wool," and will not fade When the label is not on the garment it is not all wool, therefore when buying clothing look for our guarantee label like this :—

This is our Trade Mark

Budwig & Co.
4 NORTH ST
MIDDLETOWN, N.Y.

Look for it when you buy Clothing.

☞ A cordial invitation to all to look over our spring stock. We show with the same pleasure whether you wish to buy or not.

SPECIAL CARPET SALE!

Owing to an error in our Purchasing Department we find ourselves overstocked with CARPETS. Our Spring stock is all in and we offer it at prices never before approached in Orange County. Consequently

OUR ANNUAL MARCH CARPET SALE Will Be a Hummer.

$30,000 Worth of Carpets at the Following Prices:

AXMINSTERS and MOQUETTS—Remnants 59c; good, 69c., better, 79c; best, 89
VELVETS and WILTONS—Good, 59c; better, 69c; best, 79c
TAPESTRY BRUSSELS—Common, 29c, good 39c., better 49c; best ten wire 55c
INGRAIN—Common, 19c; good, 29c; extra C C. 39c; very best extra super all wool, 49c.

The above prices should command the attention of CARPET BUYERS all through the entire county In order to make this the most interesting sale ever held in Orange County we will offer in addition to Carpets, a line of

LACE CURTAINS!

At About Half-Price, 29c, 49c., 69c, 99c., $1.49 and $1.98. ALSO 1,000 Window Shades With Spring Fixtures at 9c. and 17c. ALSO 1,000 Yards of Floor Oil Cloth at 14c. Per Yard.

Sale Will Begin WEDNESDAY, March 15th

and end April 1st. Carpets purchased now will be retained until wanted

C. EMMET CRAWFORD,

Middletown, New York.

THE FAIR.

We pride ourselves we are headquarters for Good Glassware at low prices. All free from sulphur and smoke as generally with the most of cheap glass. All goods are polished with natural gas making them clear and sparkling; difficult to tell them from genuine cut glass.

Table Tumblers (banded)	2c	Footed Jelly Glasses	5c
9 inch Berry Dish,	5c	Cheese Plates,	5c
Sauce Dishes to match,	2c	Individual Salts	3 for 5c
Celery Holders	5c	Celery Trays,	10c
Rose Bowls,	5 and 10c	Bud Holders,	5 and 10c
Two quart Pitchers	10c	High Footed Comfort	10c
10 inch Bread Plates	10c	Water Bottles,	10 to 75c
Sherbet Glasses	5 and 10c	Custard Cups	5 and 10c
Hard Old Lemonades	5 and 10c	Olive Dishes,	5c
Spoon Trays	5c	Salt and Pepper Shakers	5 and 10c
Butter Dishes,	5 and 10c	Syrup Jugs,	10c
Vinegar Cruets,	10c	Sugar Bowls,	5 and 10c
Salvers	10c	9 inch Oblong,	5c
8-inch Cranberry,	10c	Hand Lamp,	5c

Every housekeeper must have these goods, and will buy them on sight.

EASTER GIFTS!

Jardiniers, imported and domestic: Bud Holders, Easter Lilies, artificial; Easter Novelties—Rabbits, Roosters, Ducks, Hens, Chickens, Sheep, etc.

Easter Baskets, Opal Novelties

Candy, Pure and Fresh

THE SYNDICATE FAIR STORE,

No. 8 East Main St., Middletown.

WOULD YOU LIKE

Nice Water Cress, Radishes, New Potatoes Cranberries Boston Head Lettuce, Cauliflower, Ripe Tomatoes Finest Sweet Potatoes Large Celery, Pop Corn Cereals Nut Butter, Genuine New Maple Sugar We have them

DEWEY & MUNDY.

Telephone 39 40 North St

The Manhattan Market,

NO 148 NORTH STREET

Lard 10lbs	25c	Rib Roast	12 1/2c
Corn 3 cans	25c	Boston Roast	10c
Peas 3 cans	25c	Other Roasts	8c
Pickles 3 cans	25c	Frankfurters	12 1/2c
Sardines 6 cans	25c	Pork Steak 3 lbs	25c
Sugar Kr at 5 qts	25c	Beef Steak	10c

Our own smoked Hams and Bacon Oysters Clams and Fish every day Call and see us
G A BEHME H ERMSHAR Proprietors
1641y Dec29

WILL Exchange city residences for small farm near Middletown Address EXCHANGE Box 211 Middletown

NOTICE—I can sole and heel your shoes finer than any other shoemaker in town I use only selected stock and am noted for my ability and cheapness Men's shoes soled from 50c up Ladies' all kinds rubber goods repaired
Jy6 WARKS King street opposite Argus office 46dlmApr

TANS Pennyroyal and Cotton Root Pills—The ladies friend in time of need Safe prompt effectual The only pill on the market to day that is SURE to do as promised Male agency at CHAMBERS' Pharmacy 57 North St near postoffice

FOR SALE—Handsome new cottage on Albert street nine rooms hot air all modern improvements 46dtf BELL & YOUNGBLOOD

FOR SALE—A good milk truck 46 feet of fence iron rails pickets stone hot em posts good new peddling wagon several good as new stoves and many other articles at about your own price 36dtf MrSHANE Undertakers Cottage St

Sullivan County Farm for Sale,!!

Near the N W Railroad Small payment down Interest part of rent Will exchange for Middletown property
8dtf W T GILES

THE SIZE OF A DOLLAR

Varies in different stores There are two ways of marking down selling dry goods—we know and make big profits or sell a lot and make a little every time you make a sale We preach the latter plan and we practiced it so long that we believe in it and we know it's right We propose to inaugurate a series of SPRING SPECIAL SALES By buying and selling for the SPOT CASH we have secured some large lots of desirable goods and prices so low as to make this store THE place to buy Dry Goods in ORANGE COUNTY By serving you better every succeeding season it keeps this store always to the front and when values like these are advertised you know they are to be had

Umbrellas

308 LADIES 26 INCH UMBRELLAS made from Otto Muller's best Carola silk steel rods with paragon frame every one warranted $1 78 men's 26 and 28 inch of the same goods $2 19 It took lots of nerve and the spot cash to close out the above lots of goods But that is one of the reasons we can give you such remarkable bargains from time to time They come in a great variety of handles Not one if bought in a regular way could be sold for less than $1 25 to $2 each Good for either sun or rain Be in need of an umbrella don't miss this chance

Dress Goods.

TAILOR-MADE GOWNS are the correct thing for women's wear this season We have secured some of the very newest goods very much underpriced that with the special black goods we are offering, you will almost make your dollars do double duty by buying your spring dress goods here No samples given or sent by mail of these special offerings

42 inch all wool Covert Cloth in tans, modes, new blues and grey Match it if you can, 48c a yard

42 inch Cheviots and Storm Serges all wool in black, three shades of navy and royal blue While this lot lasts 48c a yard

38 inch all wool Venetian Cloth comes in modes tans and castor The correct shades for tailor-made gowns 50c a yard

46 inch all wool Twilled Broadcloth in black and all colors One of the best cloths made for the money 98c a yard

40 inch all wool Black Serge For this sale 29c a yard

46 inch pure silk finish Mohair Brilliantine Four special numbers at 50, 59, 69 89c a yard Note the width and finish when looking at the goods

53 inch pure silk finish Mohair Brilliantines, worth in any store $1 25. For this sale $1 a yard

42 inch Black Silk Mohair Crepon The $1 50 quality, $1 a yard.

Mackintoshes.

50 Ladies' Mackintoshes and 25 Misses' for this great spring sale These goods are the best quality double texture cloth, single and double capes, with extra full sweep Ladies come in navy blue and black Misses' navy blue and red Every garment is warranted We do not claim to make a lot of money on these garments, but make our profit by selling a lot at a low price than a few at a large profit. Ladies' $3 98, size 34 to 42, misses $2 98 size 36 to 52

Hosiery.

We haven't space to mention all the good things we have, but can only say we have one of the best hosiery stocks in the city These are only a few of our many low prices

Men's seamless heavy mixed Sox, not trash, but decent goods. While they last 5c a pair

Men's extra heavy seamless Sox Sold by most stores for 10c a pair. As long as they last 7c 4 pairs for 25c

Ladies' full regular made 25c Black Hose 19c a pair or 3 pairs for 50c

Ladies' two-thread seamless Black Hose Put up 4 pair in a box to sell at 50c as a bargain. We closed the lot—1,200 pairs. As long as they last 4 pairs for 40c

Ladies' Wrappers.

534 LADIES WRAPPERS purchased for this great spring sale Every woman who has ever traded at this store knows the kind of wrappers we sell Offers for this great lot was given weeks ago before the advance in cotton By giving the manufacturer time the goods are made better than if rushed through the factory We want you to come prepared to see the finest assortment of wrappers shown by any firm in this county 45 lots of 20 different styles 12 styles in size 32 to 38 8 styles in sizes 42 to 46 Many of the styles make pretty house dresses Some in light and dark colors At these prices it is less than the making would cost you—98c $1 19 $1 48

Colored Petticoats

To every woman who needs a Colored Petticoat we advise to look at our five numbers and take note of the low prices we sell them at We have the best underskirt in the world It is made better and cut fuller than any other skirt we can find They are boned with corset bone, and warranted to hold their shape as long as the skirt lasts

Black Sateen Petticoats both corded with corset bone, made with one and two ruffles both umbrella shape, 98c and $1 25

Black Sateen Underskirts in six different styles, all corded, trimmed with ruffles or umbrella shape, each have the velvet and rubber skirt protector, $1 48 $1 68, $1 98 $2 25

Black Moreid Price Silk with polka dots of green or cerise, corded with corset bone trimmed with ruffle, $1 98

Ladies' imported metallic stripe Petticoats, in the newest effects $3 68

Mercerized Black Petticoats, made umbrella shape Looks like silk, and wear much better, $3 68.

White Piques and Welts.

It is a little early for you to think of summer dresses, but the merchant who waits this year is not in it as to prices, assortment or quality Very few people know that it takes three months to weave, bleach and prepare piques for the market But it does We placed our orders for piques and welts in January, and can sell you to day for about what we would have to pay for the same goods, as cotton goods have all advanced We have a finer assortment than any store can show at 15, 20 25, 30, 35c a yard, as a great variety of weaves It's a wise woman who buys early this year

Cotton Covert Cloth.

Cotton Covert Cloth is one of the finest low priced cloths made for bicycle suits or short walking skirts. Come in tan mode, brown, green, blue and grey mixtures, warranted fast color, 12 1/2c a yard

Towels

A customer told us, the other day, she had shopped all over the city, but couldn't find such towels as we sold or such low prices. We can only give you pointers that must answer for the whole stock

A pure Linen Huck or plain Linen Towel, hemmed, size 16x33, 10c

A Union Linen Huck Towel, very fine, size 16x32, 12 1/2c.

An extra large Union Linen Huck Towel, size 20x40, 15c.

A full bleached Bath Towel, size 20x46, 15c or 2 for 25c.

A pure linen Damask Hemstitched Towel. A New York store had a window full of the same towels marked worth 0c As long as they last here at 25c.

Many good bargains left yet from our Colored Dress Goods Reduction sale at 15 and 25c a yard.

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